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**Entitled: METHOD FOR ENCODING AND DECODING MOVING
PICTURE SIGNALS**

REQUEST FOR EXAMINER'S APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In conjunction with the Reissue Application filed herewith, approval is requested for the drawing changes shown in red on the accompanying drawings. The changes provide:

- 1) In Fig. 4, replace "FRAM n+1" by --FRAME n+1-- to correct a clear typographical error.
- 2) In Fig. 6, please add reference numerals and arrows 11, 12 and 13, as shown in red. The changes conform the drawings to the illustrations in Fig. 2, and are in conformity with the disclosure at col. 6, lines 19 and 22-24.
- 3) In Fig. 7, please interchange the respective "Yes" and "No" results of the third and fourth decision blocks therein and correct typographical errors therein.

Respectfully submitted,
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FIG. 4
PRIOR ART

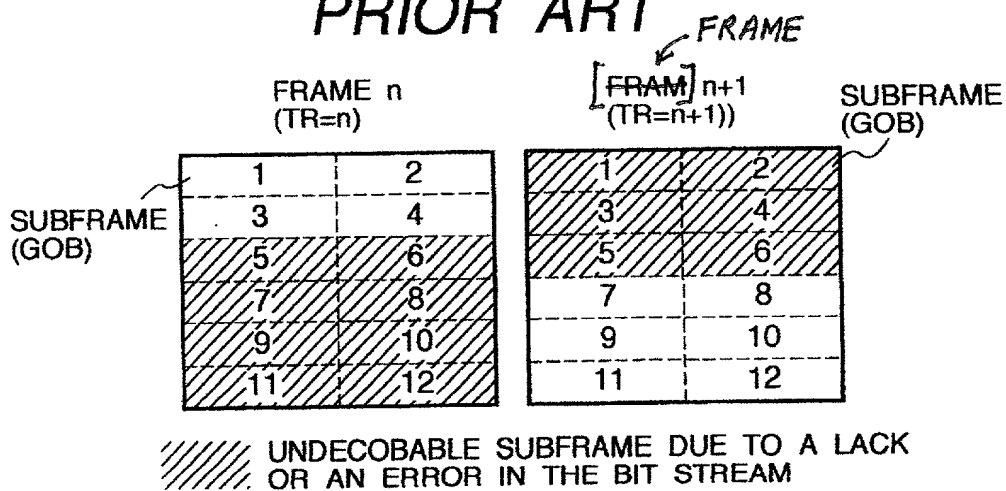


FIG. 5
PRIOR ART

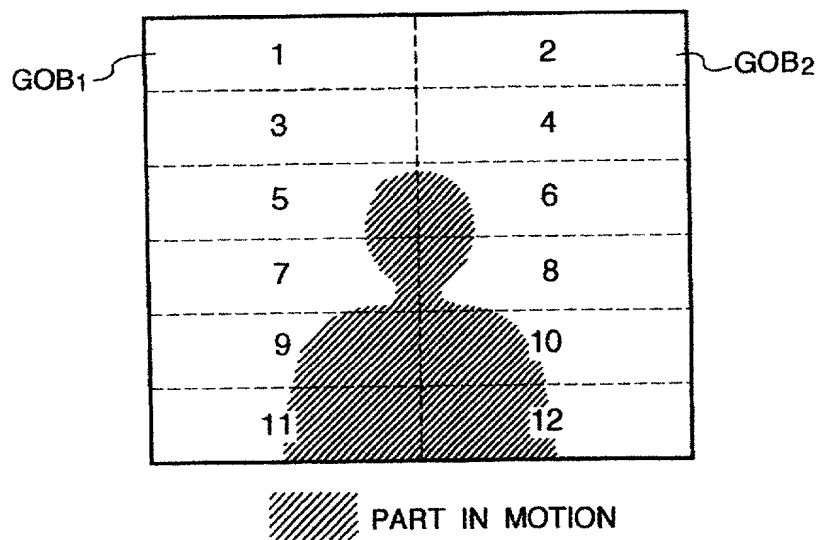


FIG. 6

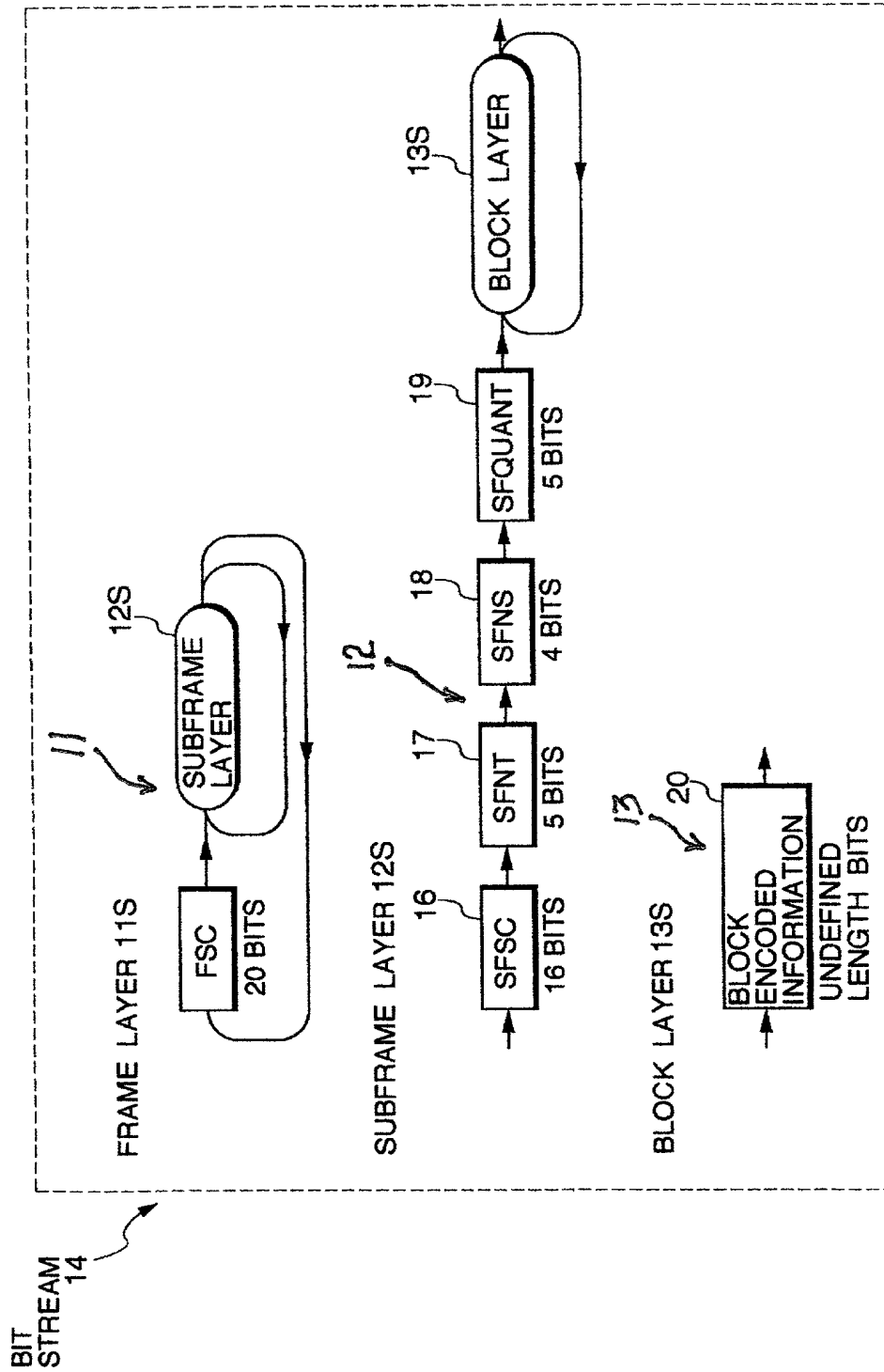


FIG. 7

